TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the last paragraph on page 7, starting on line 22 and continuing on to page 8, line 2, with the following paragraph:

Referring to both FIG. 1 and FIG. 2, the accumulator, or tubular member 46, is preferably disposed proximate the handpieces 12 and 54, although it may be disposed at any position along the line 32. Further, as shown in solid line in FIGS. 1 and 2, the tubular member 46 may be disposed in serial fluid communication with the irrigation line 32 and irrigation lumens 20 and 56. Or, as illustrated in dashed line, the accumulator, or tubular member, 46 may be disposed in a parallel fluid relationship with the irrigation line 32. In an embodiment, tubular member 46 comprises an input port and an output port. In an embodiment, where tubular member 46 is disposed in parallel fluid relationship with irrigation line 32, the input port and output port are coupled to the irrigation line as illustrated in FIG. 2.